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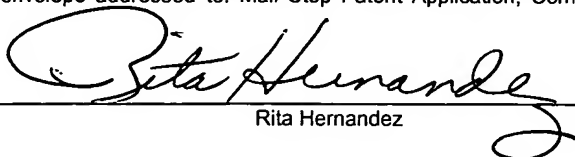
UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

1. Type of Application
This new application is for a(n)
☒ Original (non provisional)
☐ Design
☐ Plant
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27
3. ☒ Specification, including Description, Claims and Abstract (Total Pages: 33)
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) (Total sheets: 14)
5. Oath or Declaration
 - a. ☒ Newly executed (original)
 - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
 - i. ☐ Deletion of Inventors (Signed statement attached deleting inventors(s) named in the prior application.) See 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 133 (b).
6. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING
37 CFR §1.10

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7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if application, all necessary)
a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
ii. ☐ Paper
c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies
8. ☒ An assignment of the invention to Makita Corporation
☒ is attached. A separate ☐ "COVERSHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) ACCOMPANYING NEW PATENT APPLICATION" or ☒ FORM PTO 1595 is also attached.
☐ will follow.
9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) (Power of Attorney by Assignee)
10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement/PTO 1449 (or PTO/SB/08a)
☐ Copies of citations
12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
14. ☒ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
Japanese Application No. 2002-328837
Japanese Application No. 2003-081399
15. ☒ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) Transmittal
16. ☐ Other

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application no. _____
_____, filed _____.

Prior application information:

Examiner: _____ Group Art Unit: _____

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. This incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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18. Fee Calculation: TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT: \$810.00

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B. ☒ Payment Enclosed

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BASIC FILING FEE:						\$770.00
Total Claims	19	-	20	=	0 x \$18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	2	-	3	=	0 x \$86.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>			\$ 0.00
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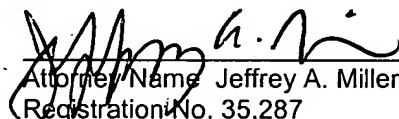
C. ☐ This application is being filed without fee or Declaration under 37 CFR §1.53.

20. Correspondence Address

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